

#### WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF

### **Natural Resources**

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# Annual Review of State Trust Lands Management Fiscal Year 2013

A Report to the Board of Natural Resources

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### **Trust Lands Topics Fiscal Year 2013**

- Aspects of Forest Management
  - Investing in our Forest Stands
  - Volume Sold/Value Earned
  - Sustainable Harvest
  - Forest Land Planning
  - Roads
- Leasing
- Transactions



### **Investing in Forest Stands Fiscal Year 2013**

- Webster Nursery
  - Shipped 5.7 million seedlings to regions for reforesting trust lands
  - Sold 1.5 million seedlings to the public, valued at \$537k
  - Transplanted 1 million small container seedlings to grow larger seedlings
- Silvicultural Activities
  - Planting and vegetation management fully funded for 11-13 biennium
  - Pre-commercial thinning activities resumed in FY 13
- Genetic Resources
  - Collected 1500 bushels of cones from DNR seed orchards and the woods
  - Completed measurement of 10 genetics test sites that will guide the establishment of future seed orchard blocks



## **Total Revenue Earned Fiscal Year 2013**

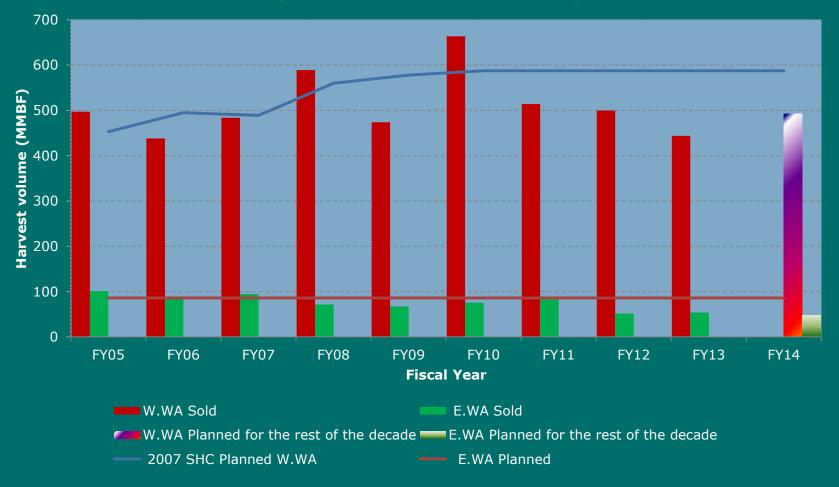
# Fiscal Year 2013 – Dollars in Millions Leasing \$40.2

Leasing	\$40.2	
Timber Revenue	\$148.8	
Total Revenue	\$189.0	



#### **Timber Volume Sold**

FY05-FY13 Sold Sales + Projected Sustainable Harvest Targets to End of Planning Decade





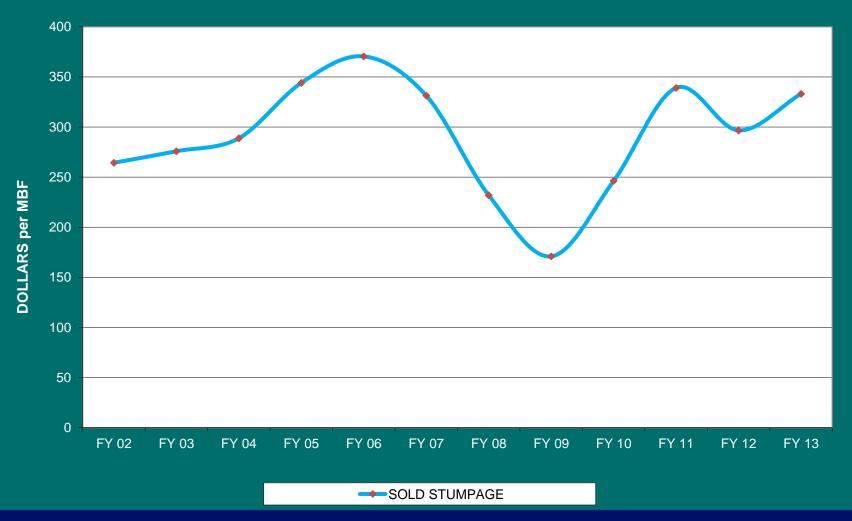
#### Western Washington Sustainable Harvest Units

FY05-FY13 Sold Sales and Percent of Projected Sustainable Harvest

Target class	Percent of Sustainable Harvest Level Achieved	Sustainable Harvest Units	
Exceeded target	>100%	Clark, Cowlitz, Lewis, Mason, Pierce and Snohomish	
Near or On-target	80-100%	Capitol Forest, Jefferson, Kitsap, Pacific, Skagit, Thurston and Whatcom	
In-arrears	< 80%	Clallam, Federally Granted lands & SFB Purchase, King, OESF, Skamania and Wahkiakum	

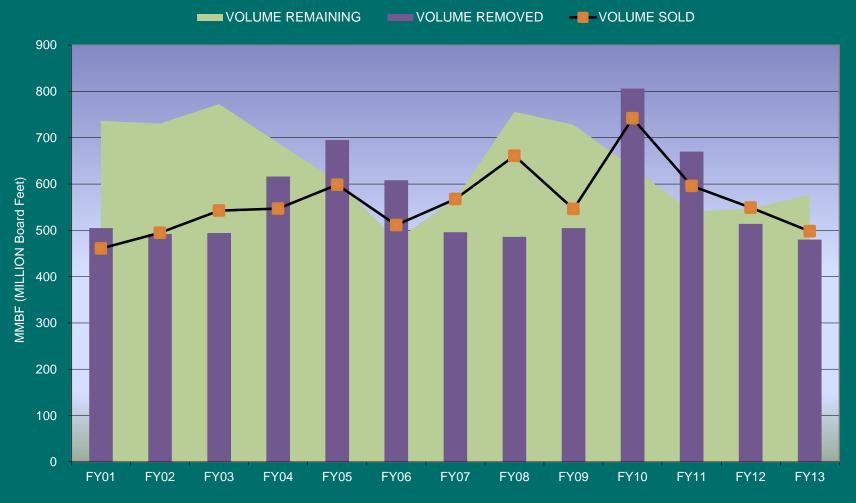


### Stumpage Sales Values FY02-FY13





# Volume: Sold, Removed, Remaining FY01-FY13





### **Forest Land Planning**

- Plan for the Olympic Experimental State Forest (OESF) HCP Planning Unit
  - Revised Draft EIS published October 31st 2013
- OESF Research & Monitoring Strategy
  - Components to be included in OESF Forest Land Plan
  - Second year monitoring of riparian sites completed as part of the Status and Trends research project being conducted in collaboration with USFS PNW Research Station



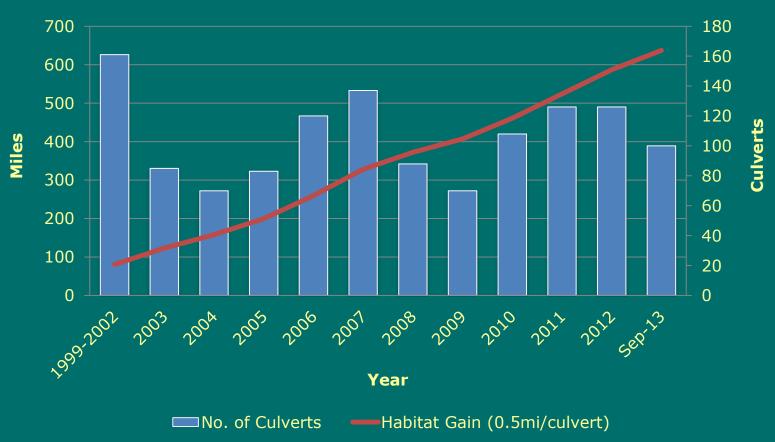
### Other Planning Efforts

- Marbled Murrelet Conservation Strategy
  - Held four public meetings for Phase 2 scoping.
  - Received public comment on conceptual alternatives.
  - Developing alternatives with USFWS for the DEIS.
- 2014 Sustainable Harvest Calculation
  - Updating data and forest models
  - Reviewing appropriate SEPA process



#### **RMAPS: Fish Passage Culverts**

Number of projects completed per year Potential lineal habitat gain in miles (cumulative)





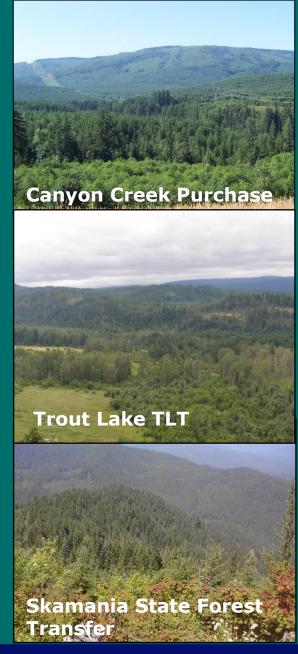
# Leasing Programs Revenue Earned

Fiscal Year 2013				
Agricultural Leases	\$21,450,303			
Grazing	\$897,056			
Commercial Real Estate	\$9,611,782			
Special Forest Products	\$599,432			
Property Leases	\$1,781,266			
Communication Sites	\$4,087,906			
Minerals, Oil, & Gas	\$69,098			
Rock, Sand, & Gravel	\$908,534			
Rights of Way	\$573,448			
Miscellaneous Revenue	\$183,114			
Leasing Total	\$40,161,939			



### Transactions Highlights Fiscal Year 2013

- 720 acres of forest land acquired for trusts
- 783 acres transferred for conservation and recreation
- Implemented State Forest Trust Replacement Program
  - 147 acres in two counties to NRCA
  - \$1,005,670 payment of timber value to counties





### FY 2013 Purchases under \$100,000 BNR Resolution 1164

Property	Acres	Price (\$)	County	Trust	Date	Benefit
Copalis Crossing	5	3750	Grays Harbor	School	10/17/12	Acquires inholding
Killian Road	20	40,000	Cowlitz	School	12/26/12	Acquires inholding in state block
McCleary	1	800	Thurston	School	6/11/13	Acquires RW strip in trust parcel





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